

REVOLUTIONARY WAR BATTLE

SULLIVAN'S ISLAND, SC

JUNE 28, 1776

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- 1 Commodore Parker orders his ships into action at 10:30 a.m., by 9:30 p.m. he withdraws his ships after being ineffective.
- 2 HMS Sphinx, Syren, and Acteon attempt to enter the Charleston harbor but run aground. Eventually the Sphinx and Syren free themselves but the Acteon can not and is burned to prevent capture.
- 3 Artillery ships HMS Thunder, St. Lawrence, and Ranger (anchored to the north) attempt long-range bombardment of the fort but are ineffective and withdraw along with the fleet.



Charleston Harbor

Sullivan's Island

LEE

FT. SULLIVAN
(Moultrie)

3

HMS St. Lawrence

PERRY

1

HMS Experiment
HMS Solebay
HMS Bristol
HMS Active

3

HMS Friendship
HMS Thunder Bomb

HMS Sphinx
HMS Syren
HMS Acteon

2

ATLANTIC OCEAN

FT. JOHNSON

Morris Island

LEGEND

TROOP MOVEMENTS

British
American

PRESERVATION

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Target Property

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